

## United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Frient and Trademark Office Address: Commissioner For Patents F.O. Bal 1450 Alexangria, Virginia 22313-1450

APPLICATION NO	O. F	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.	
09/651,293	•	08/30/2000	KENTARO MATSUMOTO	862.C1992	2585	
5514	7590	02/24/2006	•	EXAMINER		
		LLA HARPER & S	SCINTO	ALI, MOHAMMAD		
	EFELLER I RK. NY     1		-	ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER	
				2167		
				DATE MAILED: 02/24/2006	5	

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	09/651,293	MATSUMOTO ET AL.	
Response to Rule 312 Communication	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Mohammad Ali	2166	
The MAILING DATE of this communication	appears on the cover sheet	with the correspondence add	ress –
	••	•	
. ☑ The amendment filed on 22 February 2005 under 37 C	CFR 1.312 has been considere	d, and has been:	
a) 🔲 entered.			
b)  entered as directed to matters of form not affecti	ng the scope of the invention.		
c) disapproved because the amendment was filed a	after the payment of the issue t	ee.	
Any amendment filed after the date the issue	fee is paid must be accompan	ed by a petition under 37 CFR	1.313(c)(
and the required fee to withdraw the application	on from issue.		
d) 🖾 disapproved. See explanation below.			
e) 🔲 entered in part. See explanation below.			
The claims includes new limitations such as "binary data	a hy causing execution and	meta_data to be used to identify	/ a
group of plural-sets of binary data" which changes the s		mote data to be used to lacinity	ď

HOSAIN ALAM SUPERVISORY PATENT EXAMINER

> Mohammad Ali Primary Examiner Art Unit: 2166